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The Henry Ford® extends thanks to the student panel participants:

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(Beer Middle School, Warren)

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(Churchill High School, Livonia)

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The National Day of Courage celebrates Rosa Parks, who helped spark the modern civil rights movement in 1955 when she refused to give up her seat on a city bus. It's a moment that etched itself in America's moral history.

At Henry Ford Museum, it's also an occasion to explore how Parks' singular act of courage continues to resonate today. On this day, we invite people of courage to share their experiences and help inspire others to take a stand.

The National Day of Courage is one of those rare celebrations that is both inspiring and thought-provoking. And while you're here, be sure to take time to visit the bus on which Rosa Parks refused to give up her seat. It is now a revered part of our collection.

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Guest Speaker Program Schedule



JESSICA BUCHANAN

Today, humanitarian aid worker Jessica Buchanan shares her inspiring and courageous story. In 2011, while on a mission for the mine action unit of the Danish Refugee Council in Somalia, Buchanan, along with a male colleague, was kidnapped at gunpoint and held for ransom by a band of Somali land pirates. For the next three months, she was terrorized, held outdoors in filthy conditions and kept on a starvation diet. She was rescued by SEAL Team Six on January 25, 2012.

Following her presentation, Buchanan will engage our student panel and take questions from the audience. After the discussion, Buchanan will sign copies of her book, *Impossible Odds: The Kidnapping of Jessica Buchanan and Her Dramatic Rescue by SEAL Team Six*.

10:30 a.m.

Welcome by Patricia Mooradian, president, The Henry Ford®, and Matthew Wesaw, director, Michigan Department of Civil Rights

10:40 a.m.

Jessica Buchanan shares her story of courage

11:20 a.m.

Student panel discussion

11:45 a.m.

Questions from the audience

12 noon

Closing remarks, Paula Gangopadhyay, chief learning officer, The Henry Ford

Book signing immediately follows. Buchanan's book, *Impossible Odds: The Kidnapping of Jessica Buchanan and Her Dramatic Rescue by SEAL Team Six*, is available for purchase.